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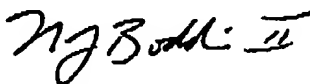
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF MARCH 25, 2005

Sir:

Applicant provides the present Response to address the issues raised in the Final Office Action (the "Final Action") mailed March 25, 2005. Applicant provides the present Response pursuant to the rules stated in revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121 that became effective on July 30, 2003.

Applicant and the undersigned would like to thank the Examiner for graciously taking time to discuss the present Response and pending claims in a telephone conference on June 2, 2005.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for net addition of claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.